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Dr. Franklyn A. Johnson, President  
Jacksonville University  
Jacksonville 11, Florida

Dear Dr. Johnson:

Thank you very much for your letters of 29 August  
and 28 September inviting me to address your annual  
Homecoming Banquet on either 7 or 9 December.

I sincerely regret that I will be unable to accept  
your kind invitation even though you were good enough  
to leave the choice of a date to me. However, your  
thoughtfulness in asking me to be with you on this par-  
ticular occasion is indeed appreciated, and I am sorry  
that my reply could not be more favorable.

With kindest regards,

Sincerely,

SIGNED

Allen W. Dulles  
Director

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